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## MILLERSBURG.

Mr. Chas. C. Leer, of Paris, was the  
guest of Leer Bros., Sunday.  
For Rent.—A 5-room residence, with  
good garden. T. E. SAVAGE.  
Mr. Robt. Boone visited relatives in  
Winchester, Saturday and Sunday.  
Jas. B. Cray sold 380 acres of land in  
Robertson county, to J. W. Holmes and  
John Neal.

Mr. Robt. H. Miller has rented the  
Chas. Turner farm and will move to it  
in a few days.  
Miss Louie Warford was home from  
Hamilton College, at Lexington, Satur-  
day and Sunday.

About fifty citizens of Paris and  
Carlisle were here Sunday, out for their  
Spring drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Yancy Ray, of Oak-  
woods, visited their daughter, Mrs.  
Thos. Conway, Sunday.

Mrs. Jo. Insko and son, Howard, of  
Ellisville, are guests of her parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. Jessie Payne.

Attorney Albert Martin, of Chicago,  
was the guest of his brothers, Ed. and  
Chas., Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. H. A. Kerns, babe and 14-year-  
old daughter, were not admitted to the  
Masonic Home, at Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Cassidy, of Lex-  
ington, visited Mrs. Ella Thaxton,  
Thursday. She is still very ill.

Have just received a full stock of  
beautiful Spring Wall Paper.  
Jo. W. Mock.

Mr. Harry Conway and family, of  
Carlisle, visited his mother, Mrs. Lou  
Conway, Sunday. She is some better.

Mrs. John Redmon, living on the  
Paris and Little Rock, pike fell from loft  
Thursday, and was unconscious for  
several hours.

Mrs. Turner Perry, of Owingsville,  
has been the guest of her parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. Thomas McClintock, for the  
past week.

Misses Jennie and Ruth McClintock  
returned Saturday from Lake Forrest,  
Ill. College, on account of scarlet fever  
in the school.

The fire brigade was called out  
Thursday night on account of an over-  
turned lamp at M. F. C. Loss to furni-  
ture and room about \$40.

Capt James R. Rogers will be here  
Wednesday at 3 p. m. to speak in the  
interest of the tobacco growers. All  
farmers invited to attend.

The best laundry that comes to this  
city is done by the Bourbon Steam. J.  
Will Clarke, agent. He will send to  
your residence for it, and return it.

Mr. E. Fredrick, of the Model Green  
House, of Mt. Sterling, will be here  
again Thursday, at Bryan House, with a  
full assortment of all varieties of  
flowers, ferns, etc.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carpenter, Mrs.  
Bettie Martin, James McClelland and  
Chas. Martin attended the burial of Mrs.  
Robt. McClelland, at Mt. Sterling, Sat-  
urday. She was a native of this place.

Twenty negroes, the entire colored  
population of Webrum, were driven  
out of town the other day and their little  
shacks pulled down and destroyed.  
Mississippi? No, Pennsylvania.

WRAPPER SALE.—Don't fail to attend  
the wrapper sale at Harry Simon's,  
Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday,  
March 17, 18 and 19.

SEED OATS.—Just received a car-load  
of choice Northern seed oats.  
GEO. W. STUART.

A collar button is held responsible for  
the death of a man in New York. Here-  
tofore the most serious indictment  
against it was that it caused a man to  
lose his religion.

COMING.—Dr. Bowen, optician, will  
be at A. J. Winters & Co.'s on Thurs-  
day, March 26.

RELIABLE SEEDS.—Try my garden  
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are cash prices, and everybody gets  
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price to Tommy, another to Dickey and  
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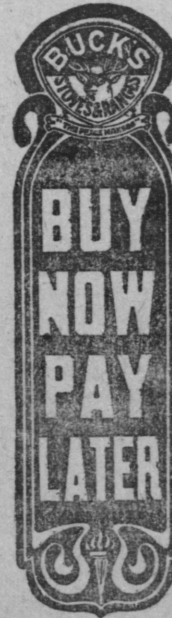
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## A CHICKEN-SOUP PLANT.

Hospital Patient's Unique Provision for Plenty of the Prescribed, Luxury.

Mrs. H. C. Lounsbury, who was chief nurse at the Sternberg hospital at Chickamauga park, contributes to the American Journal of Nursing some amusing reminiscences of hospital life. A lady had given her a hundred dollars to spend for luxuries for the sick soldiers.

While the doctor was making his rounds one morning he said to the nurse in the patient's hearing: "This man may have some chicken soup tomorrow if his temperature keeps down to normal."

The next day there was a great "peep-peeping" under the man's bed. The nurse investigated, and found that he had a dozen tiny chickens there in a box. The patient explained that the doctor had said he might have chicken soup, and he had bought these chickens for four dollars from a dorky who had passed through the ward. He wanted to be sure his soup was made from real chickens.

"But," said the nurse, "these are too little to cook."

"Well, yes," said the man, "but they'll grow, and I reckoned the boys would bring the crumbs to feed 'em."

The case was brought to Mrs. Lounsbury, who shuddered at the idea of bringing up chickens under the bed of a typhoid-fever patient. She bought the chickens and gave the man his four dollars, and then sent him some canned chicken soup. But she says she always thought he felt aggrieved that she did allow him to maintain his private poultry-yard.

## FEW GRATE-FIRES IN HOTELS.

A Feature That Always Attracts the Patronage of Englishmen and Canadians.

A clerk in a once fashionable hotel, where nearly all distinguished English visitors used to go when they came to New York, was talking the other night about the falling off in custom in many down-town hostels, reports the Times. "For many years," he said, "the down-town hotels kept up the grate fires, while the more modern hotels up-town abolished the grates and had nothing but steam heat. The Englishman will go every time where he can get a grate fire. Steam radiators are an abomination to him. When the down-town hotels began to make improvements and did away with grate fires they made a grand mistake. English and Canadian visitors particularly, when they saw that it was steam heat or nothing, went to the larger hotels, where they could see more people and get more for their money than in the down-town hotels. Steam heat is, of course, very much more convenient and less expensive for the hotel keeper, but guests object to it for many reasons, injury to health and noise from clanging pipes being the chief causes of complaint."

## THEY BURN LETTERS.

Chinamen Invariably Commit Wrongs to the Flames as Soon as Read.

Of all the quaint industries which furnish a livelihood for a corps of workers there is none more worthy of comment than the sacred furnace of Mon-War, erected and supported by the religious fervor and reverential sentiment with which the Chinese regard their letters and papers. In every Chinatown, however small, a building dedicated to Confucius can be found, and to every almond-eyed celestial that building is sacred—sacred from the inscription over the door to the blue smoke that curls up and mingles with the fog, for it is the oven wherein are incinerated all the letters, newspapers and old books of the Chinese quarter, says Leslie's Weekly.

Every scrap of paper upon which a Chinese character has been written or printed, when its purpose in the business or social world has been accomplished, is burned in a perfumed blaze and the ashes are disposed of with reverential care.

## Novel Church Services.

Religious services held in absolute darkness are an experiment begun a few weeks ago in London. The purpose was not novelty or notoriety, but a desire to answer the objection raised by poorly dressed people against going to any place where their shabby clothes made them feel uncomfortable. The experiment was made at St. James', in Clerkenwell. A large sheet was hung across the eastern end of the church, and upon this the words and music of the hymns, the prayers and responses were thrown by a lime-light lantern.

## The Useful Newspaper.

Many claims have been made on behalf of the modern newspaper. It is now held forward as the only reasonable cure both of cold and poverty. If you stretch it over you at night, it is better than a warming pan, better than an elderdown quilt. If you roll it up into wet balls and put it on the fire, it does instead of coals.

## Color of Truth.

An American chemist has invented a tube for truth. You speak into it; the chemical solution changes color according to the tenacity of your emotion, and truth and mendacity are described as being quite distinct and vivid colors.

## Repatriated Boers.

Eighty-five per cent. of the Boers who have been repatriated in the Orange River colony have started to work on farms.

## "DOUBLE-QUICK" LOANS.

Great Sums Often Raised by Wall Street Banks on Very Short Notice.

An interesting question often asked in Wall street concerns the amount of capital that a large bank could raise at an hour's notice. That is, how much accommodation could a bank extend a customer unexpectedly confronted with pressing need, or for the purpose of financing a great deal. A banker of international experience is authority for the statement that Wall street's facilities in this regard are superior to London's, in that a large undertaking could be financed here with much greater dispatch than on the other side, says the New York Post.

Said an officer of one of Wall street's most important banks: "It is no trouble at all nowadays to raise \$5,000,000 or \$6,000,000 within an hour. I have seen it done too often to think for a moment that it would tax seriously a large bank's resources. Five times that sum, say \$25,000,000, can be raised at 24 hours' notice. It has been done. Of course, no one bank could do it, but the great Wall street institutions are linked together in such a way as to provide almost unlimited resources for the financing of any safe deal. The large banks think little of \$1,000,000 or \$2,000,000 loans these days, whereas in former years they attracted general attention, for such large amounts were released only after considerable negotiations. But that has all changed now."

## TESTS OF THE HUMAN VOICE.

Experiment Proves That It Is Not Always as Recognizable as Is Commonly Believed.

Many persons imagine that the human voice is as easily recognizable as the human countenance; they think that they could never be mistaken in the voices of their friends; but in the branch telephone exchange of a big business house the other day an experiment proved that this was not altogether true, says the Philadelphia Record. One of the employees of the house took his place at the exchange, and, as various persons called for various members, he guessed who was speaking. Out of ten guesses, six were wrong. He erred in the case of his own brother's voice, mistaking it for that of the proprietor. He was sure that he had detected a fellow clerk on account of the pronunciation of coffee—"cawfee"—that he believed to be peculiar to this person, but the event proved that there were others in the building who also pronounced coffee in that odd way. The girl at the exchange said that she never attempted to tell people by their voices, especially over the phone. "When you make a mistake it is so embarrassing," she murmured. "A roguish voice says: 'Do you know who it is?' You answer: 'Yes, it's Harry.' Whereupon the disappointed reply comes: 'No, it is Jack.' That makes you feel small."

## SET IN HIS WAYS.

Negro Farmer Who Had His Own Ideas About Crops and Stuck to Them.

"As an illustration of the need of new ideas in farming, and of the effect which the long-continued cultivation of a single crop has upon one," says Booker T. Washington, in Everybody's Magazine, "I remember that some years ago I called an old negro farmer into my office and explained to him in detail how he could make \$30 an acre on his land, if he would plant a portion of it in sweet potatoes; whereas, if he planted cotton, as he had been doing for years, at best he could make only \$15 per acre. As I explained the difference step by step, he agreed with me at every point, and when I came near to the end of my argument I began to congratulate myself that I had converted at least one man from the one-crop system to better methods. Finally, with what I fear was the air of one who felt that he had won his case, I asked the farmer what he was going to cultivate on his land the coming year. The old fellow scratched his head and said that as he was getting old, and had been growing cotton all his life, he reckoned he would grow it to the end of his few remaining years, although he agreed with me that he could double the product of his land by planting sweet potatoes on it."

## A WORKING EMPEROR.

Kaiser Wilhelm Takes Matters Great and Small Into His Own Autocratic Hands.

The world discovered long ago that the emperor of Germany is not a mere figurehead. He takes matters of state, great and small, into his autocratic hands, and settles them in business-like fashion. A case in point is a story told by a London M. A. P. of an English professor in a small German university, who fell into a dispute with another professor. Finally the head of the department said:

"We must write to the kaiser about it."

"Surely, you would not trouble his majesty about such a small matter!" "Indeed, I will, and he will settle it." The Englishman expected that one of the kaiser's secretaries would send a formal and useless reply. But in a few days the chief professor showed the Englishman a letter, written at the kaiser's dictation, saying that his majesty would in six weeks be visiting in the neighborhood of the university, and would make a call on the professors and consult them about the dispute.

At the time appointed the emperor came, discussed the matter patiently with great tact and judgment, and finally settled it to the satisfaction of all parties.

## CUPID PREFERS A LAMP.

The Little Ruler of Hearts Does Better with the Aid of Good Old-Fashioned Coal Oil.

"Electric lights and gas are no good for courting purposes," said a Washington young man who is more than attentive to the object of his affections, a sweet girl of the West end.

"But do not the parents of your fiancée insist on there being light in the room?" asked a friend.

"Oh, yes; we use kerosene. There is nothing like it. Give me the good old coal oil for courting. My girl is of an inventive turn of mind. You can't beat her."

"What do you mean?" "The piano lamp provides the parlor with light," replied the young man, according to the Washington Star. "It has a large red shade, which softens the light when it is burning. But, do you know, my girl has that light completely under control? She sees to the filling of the lamp and she has it down so fine that she knows just how much oil is needed to burn to a certain hour, the time that the old folks usually go to bed. When the flame begins to get dim you may bet every dollar you have that it is 9:30. That lamp, controlled by so charming a girl as mine, is a bonanza."

## A POLITICAL DIVIDE.

Cascade Mountain Range Divides Washington and Oregon in Legislative Interests.

With the meeting of the legislatures of Washington and Oregon, one fact cannot fail of being impressed on the mind of a person who follows their work. Nearly every bill passed is the result of a compromise between those legislators from the west of the Cascades and those from the east of the same range of mountains, says a local report. The interests of eastern Washington are no more allied to those of the western part of the state than those of eastern Oregon to those of the western part of that state. The interests of the western part of both states are identical, as well as the interests of the eastern parts of both states. Had the territory been divided on the Cascade range instead of the present division, there would have been two states differing greatly in their interests and products, but each would have been a unit within themselves. Instead of the warring factions in each state as there are found at present, harmony could prevail, for the operation of a law that would work injury to one part of the state would operate the same in all other parts.

## ONE OLD MILL AN IMPOSTOR.

Reputed to Be of Holland Make, But Was the Work of an Irish Carpenter.

Along the line of the Trenton & New Brunswick railroad, between Milltown and Dayton, is a ramshackle old barn, at the end of which is a windmill tower and windmill that look like a piece out of a Dutch landscape, says the Philadelphia Press.

The natives tell wonderfully interesting stories of this mill's history, how it was brought from Holland in sections many years ago, and erected by the then owner of the farm, a worthy descendant of a line of burghers, and with an ancestry that would give him a seat of honor at a reunion of the Holland society.

As a matter of fact, the mill is only about 20 years old, and was built by an Irish carpenter, who was employed by the Scotchman who occupied the farm, renting it from a Frenchman who then held title to the property. But it makes an interesting, though a spurious antique, and is a veritable treasure trove for a small army of water colorists, sketchers and amateur photographers.

## NEW IMPERIAL SERVICE ORDER

Birthday Honor Conferred by King Edward Upon Woman in Postal Work.

Among the birthday honors conferred by King Edward, perhaps the most unusual is that which has made a woman a companion of the new Imperial Service Order, says a London report. The woman in question is a Miss Smith, who nearly 30 years ago began with a staff of 20 clerks some small work connected with the savings bank branch of the general post office. Now her staff numbers between 800 and 900 women, and the work they do covers a great part of the whole savings business. Miss Smith has been a pioneer in the development of woman labor in other branches of postal work than her own. From her office the first woman clerks of the postal order branch were drawn, and it is to her powers of organization that the great increase of woman workers throughout the post office is said to be due. With all her ability, Miss Smith receives only \$2,500 a year—a large salary in English eyes.

## Lady with Pink Teeth.

The newest turn in Parisian music halls will shortly be the appearance of a lady with pink teeth. She is a native of Canton, but born of French parents. Her teeth, which are perfect, are of a semi-transparent substance resembling pale-colored coral. A dentist who has examined them says that they will never decay. They are hard as diamonds, and the latter gems are the only material with which a mark can be made on their surface.

## Prairie State Products.

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## FUN FOR THE ACTRESS.

Her Method of Calling the Elevator  
Suggests Good System for  
Arousing Hotel Guests.

"I was surprised at the thoroughness of the hotel fire alarms of Washington," said a guest of one of the leading hotels to a representative of the Star. "It was about two o'clock this morning when the thing went off. An actress came home from a late supper, and not getting the elevator in time, touched off the fire alarm. There is a little disc alongside of the elevator bell on each floor, about the size of an ordinary watch. A little nickel hammer is attached by a chain, and on the glass in the disc is painted the words: 'In case of fire break this glass.' The actress didn't do a thing to the glass, and as a result there was the greatest commotion you ever heard. The halls were filled with people looking for fire-escapes, and most of them had their summer clothes on. Windows were thrown open, and it is a great wonder some one did not jump out. Firemen ran hose in the halls in every direction in a few seconds, and then it was found to be a false alarm. Many of the ladies could not sleep again, and remained in the office the rest of the night. It was great fun for the actress, but it showed a most remarkable system of alarm. I would consider the system perfect, and I believe, unless people got very much demoralized, the entire hotel could be emptied in less than five minutes."

## FRANKLIN'S GREAT TRIUMPH.

Raiment Worn in Hour of Humiliation  
Saved for the Hour of  
English Defeat.

When the treaty of Paris, which established peace between the United States and England, had been finally signed and sealed, Franklin turned to the English commissioners:

"Gentlemen," he said, writes Alfred Henry Lewis, in Everybody's Magazine, "I observed you cast an eye upon this old, spotted velvet suit I wear. Let me tell you what I would have you tell to England. Once, years ago, when these differences we have just concluded lay still in the seed, I bore a petition to your English privy council. I was laughed and jeered at, if you will, as an outlander and a savage of no rights, by the grave chief justice and his associates. They put forward a Scotch cur, one Wedderburn, to mouth and worry me. I was helpless, with no friend save my conscience. On that, my day of heaviest burden, I was garbed in these spotted velvet clothes. I will not pretend I was unmoved, and in my hate and rancor of the moment I made a mental vow that this raiment, worn in the hour of my humiliation, I would yet wear in the hour of British humiliation and defeat. From that day to this I have laid these garments by; and now, please God, I keep my vow and put them on."

## Healthiest Place in the World.

On the strength of mortality statistics prepared by the government of the province of Ontario it is claimed that Ontario is the healthiest place in the world. The death rate last year was 13.6 per 1,000. But most of the deaths are of infants and elderly people. The death rate of the great class between infancy and 55 years of age is only six per 1,000. This is a death rate for the working period of life lower than that of any other country in the world.

## Insanity Among Women.

A German professor has been investigating the causes of insanity among women, and has come to the conclusion that if women are admitted into competition with men, the inevitable result will be a tremendous increase of insanity among the women. He finds that the percentage of women teachers who become insane is almost double that of the men teachers.

## Scented Cloth Woven.

Scented cloth, designed for ladies' dresses, is the latest novelty from Paris. The fabric retains its fragrance so long as there is a fragment of the material left; you may tear, drench with rain, or fling aside the perfumed gown, but its particular fragrance will cling to it still.

## CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

Of those taking civil service examinations for appointment in federal departments last year, 69 per cent. received the required percentage and 31 per cent. fell short of it. Of those who passed the examinations 25 per cent. were and 75 per cent. were not appointed.

## WHALING IN THE ARCTIC.

The Skipper and His Gun and the  
Precautions in Preparing  
for a Shot.

The gun, a solid, cumbersome affair of about three-inch caliber, is swung around so that the muzzle points inboard, and then the chamber is swabbed out by the skipper himself, who plainly regards every step of this preliminary work as of the greatest importance. The number of times that this man has missed his whale is so small that he takes pride in his record; and, in addition to his reputation, there is the value of the whale, says a writer in Harper's. A good-sized whale means \$1,200 or so to himself, who, besides being skipper and harpooner, is also owner of the ship and of the trying-out plant ashore. So, after inspecting the harpoon and wading brought from below, he swabs out the gun a second time, and then takes a pound of quick-burning powder, in a little white cotton bag, and rams it home. A big fistful of rope-ends is stuffed in after the powder, and following the rope-ends a thick rubber disk; after that another batch of rope-ends.

Then ensues a most critical examination of the bomb lance, a heavy piece of cast iron, perhaps 18 inches in length, sharp pointed forward, but enlarged toward the rear, where is enclosed a grenade that is timed to explode a few seconds after it is shot into the whale and deal the mortal wound.

## KING TRIED TO HIDE DEED.

Gave Money for the Salvation Army  
and Refused to Give Donor's  
Name.

A good story of King Edward's interest in the Salvation Army is told by Walsh Dawson, a supporter of the army's social work, reports the London Social Gazette.

Two years ago Mr. Dawson, who had interested himself in obtaining donations for social work, was on his way one afternoon to call on a certain benevolent peer, when he lost his way in the thick fog. Suddenly he ran against a man near Buckingham palace. Apologizing, he asked the stranger if he could direct him to the house he was looking for. The reply was:

"Certainly. I am going there myself. I'll show you the house."

"We chatted away merrily," Mr. Dawson continues. "I told him all about my work and the labors of the Salvation Army. He seemed deeply interested and when I reached the house he said: 'It is dreadful to think that so much suffering exists in this city. I want you to accept a little gift for the poor, suffering ones,' and he placed in my hand ten sovereigns."

"I was astonished and asked the unknown donor what name I should put down in the book. He replied, hurriedly: 'No name at all, please. Simply anonymous.' Suddenly I saw his face distinctly for the first time; it was the prince of Wales, now the king."

## BOOK AGENTS RIDE IN CABS.

Some in New York City Make Five  
to Ten Thousand Dollars a Year  
with Little Effort.

A New Yorker out of work was attracted by an alluring advertisement from a publishing house. The compensation mentioned was \$30 a week to commence, and more as sales increased. The young man was ambitious and had a good general acquaintance among the sort of men who buy books, reports the Times. When he went for his job he was told that the \$30 a week proposition meant that the firm did not care to employ book agents who had not demonstrated their ability to earn that sum regularly on commission. There was nothing in the nature of a salary guarantee about it. He was told, also, that there were men book agents in New York who made their \$5,000 to \$10,000 a year without much trouble. These agents, he was told, handled only the highest and most expensive publications. They had become acquainted with the individual tastes and peculiarities of rich men, who never questioned the price of a book if it was something they wanted. The trade of these men was entirely in editions de luxe. The agents made appointments with their customers by telephone, either at the homes or offices of the latter, and rode in a hansom cab to keep the appointment. If they did not ride they took a boy from the publishing house to carry the book.

## Ants Are Strong.

A. R. Miller recently weighed a small ant and a dead grasshopper which it was dragging to its nest. The weight of the grasshopper was found to be 60 times greater than that of the ant. The force exerted by the ant in dragging the grasshopper along the road was therefore proportionately equal to that of a man weighing 150 pounds pulling a load of 4½ tons, or a horse of 1,200 pounds a load of 36 tons.

## City of Padlocks.

Irkutsk, in Siberia, is said to be a veritable city of padlocks. There are more padlocks on the shutters and doors of an Irkutsk shop than can be found in an English city of 200,000. There are as many as three padlocks on some shop doors, and every lower story shutter bears from one to five.

## Record Shoemaking.

A pair of women's shoes made in Lynn, Mass., to establish a record for rapid shoemaking, required 57 different operations and the use of 42 machines and 100 pieces. All these parts were assembled and made into a graceful pair of shoes, ready to wear, in 13 minutes.

## TRAMP AND CLUBMAN.

Singular Behavior of a London Re-  
cluse Who Appears in Both  
Characters.

A curious story of a wealthy old recluse is told by an English correspondent of Household Words.

Not a hundred miles from London, and about five miles from a railway station, he says, stands a large house in beautiful grounds. Two rooms only in this house are occupied—one by the owner and the other by his servant. The staircase is never used, and communication between the two rooms is by a hole in the floor and a rope ladder. The owner's meals, when cooked, are passed up through this hole.

The chief peculiarity, however, of this eccentric being is that twice a week, late at night, he comes down his rope ladder dressed as a tramp. He then walks five miles to the station referred to, where he has a private room. Here he changes his clothes, emerges in full evening dress and goes by the last train up to London.

It has been ascertained that he then takes a cab to one of the big clubs in the neighborhood of Pall Mall. What he does at the club is not known, but he returns by the first (newspaper) train in the morning, when he repairs to his room at the station, puts on the tramp's clothes again and returns to his house, where he resumes his peculiar mode of life.

He has never been known to speak to anyone in the village, and no one can give a reason for his quaint behavior, but local gossip has it that he was jilted as a young man and vowed that he would never again speak to a woman nor, so far as he could avoid it, look at one again.

## A COLLEGE GIRL'S IDEA.

By Diligent Study to Become an Ex-  
pert Dietist, She Secures a  
Good Position.

The graduate of a woman's college who recently was engaged by the New York department of charities as consulting dietitian appears to have discovered an entirely new field of endeavor for members of her sex who have received a liberal education. Moreover, it is one in which the possibility of male competition is very slight, says the New York Times.

While studying at college, the young woman realized that it was possible for her to become an expert on matters of diet, and planned her course to that end. Though not an executive, she will soon be one of the most important officers of that branch of the city government, because she is sent upon investigations on everything concerning foods, their preparation, their nutriment, and their serving in the various institutions. She reports directly to and consults with the commissioner.

She has studied so as to be practical and scientific, too. She can cook, from soups to cake, and she has Prof. Atwater's food researches at her finger's end. Along with old-fashioned housekeeping she took up biology, physiology, chemistry and domestic science. A man would have a hard time competing with her unless he was an expert cook and had a good working knowledge of housewifery.

## POSSIBILITIES OF ENGLISH.

Striking Illustration Given a French  
Lecturer by a Witty Amer-  
ican Woman.

M. le Comte Robert de Montesquiou-Fézensac, here to lecture on French literature, met with a surprise the other day at a reception. He was talking to a dainty little lady, who spoke very good French, reports the New York Times. She was telling of the vast possibilities in the English language, and, neglectful of the fact that he imperfectly understands the language, she gave him the following:

"A flock of girls is called a bevy, a bevy of wolves is called a pack, a pack of thieves is called a gang, a gang of angels is called a host, a host of fish is called a shoal, a shoal of cattle is called a herd, a herd of children is called a troop, a troop of partridges is called a covey, a covey of beauties is called a galaxy, a galaxy of ruffians is called a horde, a horde of coal is called a heap, a heap of oxen is called a drove, a drove of blackguards is called a mob, a mob of whales is called a school, a school of worshippers is called a congregation, a congregation of engineers is called a corps, a corps of robbers is called a band, a band of locusts is called a swarm, and a swarm of people is called a crowd."

M. le Comte asked the fair one to please write it out for him, as he wished to use a lexicon for purposes of translation. He tried it later and gave up in despair.

## Pigeon Post on Ships.

The Compagnie Generale Transatlantique is not only trying the wireless telegraph on its ship, the Savoie, but employs a pigeon post which has given satisfaction. Out of 23 trials at distances of 150 to 250 miles from land, 18 succeeded. It is found possible to have news of a ship in this way 24 hours after she leaves and 24 hours before she arrives at a port. Moreover, the birds become harder with practice, their sense of orientation or homing instinct grows keener, and the percentage of birds lost is lowered.

## Much Bookkeeping.

Before a recruit can be said to have joined the British army his name must be entered 62 times, and that of his superior officer 29 times, in the documents required by the war office.

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## THE BOURBON NEWS.

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## DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE:  
JAS. E. CANTRILL,  
of Scott County.

FOR COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY:  
R. B. FRANKLIN,  
of Franklin County.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE:  
HON. A. S. THOMPSON.  
FOR CIRCUIT CLERK:  
CHARLES E. BUTLER.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE.  
We are authorized to announce T. T. HEDGER as a candidate for Commissioner of Agriculture, subject to the will of the Democratic Party. Primary May 9th, 1903.

The Chicago coffin trimmers are on a strike. That's sad.

The filling seems to have fallen out the Dentrail Trust.

Here's hoping that the robins did not fly in ahead of schedule time.

A Zion Elder calls Kentucky the State of Liquor, Fire and Distilled Damnation.

It is said by theorists that no man can work too hard. We know of some in Paris who are 'not guilty.'

Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan is visiting in Cuba. If he likes the island he may wear it home on his watch chain.

If you want to see a disappointed youth, just tell the Paris school boy that Memorial days falls on Saturday this year.

Cap. Calhoun's commission for collecting Kentucky's latest war claim is \$71,198. Verily, a Napoleon of Finance if not of war!

It ought not to be difficult to water the stock of a newspaper published on an ocean liner and served with wireless telegraph news.

The death at 85 of the inventor of the Gatling gun demonstrates that it is safer to stand behind one of those guns than it is to stand in front of it.

While the Oklahoma legislature is amending the rules of "seven-up" the people should set about amending the rules of the trust game of "cinch."

The state of Ohio was one hundred years old on March 1st. Not quite so old as our little city of Paris. We have long since passed the century mark.

A Baptist preacher is to deliver a sermon to prove that St. Patrick is not a saint. It is unfortunate that St. Patrick's views on the preacher are not obtainable.

Mr. Roosevelt is said to be in favor of a running mate from the Middle West. Well, Mr. Deboe ain't got nawthin' particular on fer nex' year.—Louisville Times.

It costs \$60,000 a year to keep the White House clean and the floors scrubbed. Really, Mr. Hanna should be more careful and wipe his feet on the front door mat.

The fishing season will soon be on and the disciples of Isaac Walton will vie to the banks of beautiful Stoner and work hard all day throwing tempting bait to the finny tribe.

Our merchants all look for a good trade this Spring. The stocks brought on by them are large and complete and no one will find any trouble in finding what they want in our stores.

Not content with the high prices on meats and other things the prices on garden seed has risen. It seems as though its only a matter of time when the poor man will not be allowed to live.

It's 'Ir.'—Don't forget that the Home 'phone is '4c'

SEED OATS.—For Northern seed oats go to Geo. W. Stuart, directly opposite the freight depot.

LOWEST PRICES.—Garden seed bought before the advance—prices accordingly reasonable. SPEARS & BRENT.

As an instrument of self-destruction, the automobile may be a trifle expensive, but, as shown by the medical examiner's report in the case of Arthur Pennell, there can be no question of its ability to deliver the goods.

Indications point to the fact that there will be more building in Paris this Spring than has been known in years. There will be an opening here for good mechanics, in the way of carpenters, brick-layers, etc. It will only be a matter of a short time till we will have one of the prettiest cities in the state. The watchword is "boom."

## DEATHS.

—Benj. Preston, aged about 80 years, brother of Henry, of Ashland, Ky., died Sunday at Paintsville, Ky., of consumption.

—Col. Thos. B. Ford, former Circuit Clerk, lawyer, poet and well-known ex-Confederate, died at Frankfort.

—The funeral of J. F. Ramp will be held at the Catholic church, at 9 o'clock, Wednesday. The services will be conducted by Rev. Father Gilbert. Burial at the Catholic cemetery.

Friday morning, March 13, 1903, at 4:30 o'clock, at her home in Ewing, Ky., Mrs. J. D. Wyatt died. The funeral took place at the Christian church in Elizaville, Ky., at 11 o'clock a. m., Sunday. The interment was in the Elizaville cemetery. The services were conducted by W. S. Irvin, assisted by W. A. Morrison and E. Lee Smith.

—Sprigg J. Brent, aged 63 years, formerly of this city, died at Carlisle, Sunday night, at 8 o'clock. He leaves a wife, nee Harris, and one daughter. The funeral services will be held at Carlisle, at 1 o'clock to-day and the remains will be interred in the Paris cemetery at 8:30 o'clock, this afternoon.

Mr. Roosevelt will have difficulty in demonstrating that educated and worthy negroes live only in the south. If he is determined to reward fitness let him apply the test indiscriminately north and south. The appointment of a few negro postmasters in northern states will do more than epistolary exercise to prove his sincerity.

WALL PAPER FREE.—We select one high-class combination for one residence room during March. We intend to show this among others to each of our customers. If you chance to select this particular one, it is yours, absolutely free of charge.

10-17. S. E. BORLAND.  
If you need a machine for spring sewing and it don't suit to buy one call at our store and we will rent you one. We also have a full line of supplies. SINGER SEWING MACHINE CO., W. A. Lowell, Mgr.

## THE FAIR!

NOTE.—We announce in a column of the BOURBON NEWS a list of specials on sale Friday next. Each item advertised will be sold at a reduced price. By looking over this list, and taking advantage of these specials, you will be able to make an important saving on part worthy merchandise.

1 Cent a package for Flower and Garden Seed, strictly fresh stock, nothing better in the market, regular 5 cent package, and not over 12 packages to a customer, none sold to dealers.

2 Cents for Asbestos Lamp Wick.

3 Cents for 4 bunches Sea Island Cotton Fish Line.

29 Cents a roll for genuine pure Silk Line.

48 Cents for multiplying 40 yard full balance Nickel Plated Reels, raised pillars, balance handle screw plates, back adjustable click and front sliding drag.

48 Cents for best quality 6 qt. Minnow Buckets finished in green, with gold bands.

89 Cents for Curtain Stretchers.

8 Cents for Steel Frying Pans.

49 Cents for Gooyear's Rubber Hot Water Bottles.

3 Cents for best quality Rubber Nipples.

1 Cent for Stove Lifters from 8 a. m. to 9 a. m.

8 Cents for 10 quart flaring pails, enamelled handles from 9 to 10 a. m.

29 Cents for 10 Rolls Medicated Toilet Paper from 10 to 11 a. m.

5 Cents for 4 Hexagon Lead Pencils, usually retailed at 5c each, from 10 11 a. m.

4 Cents for Garden Tools from 11 to 12 noon.

1 Cent each for Novelty Glass Pen Holders from 12 to 1 p. m.

12 Cents for Turkey Feather Dusters, 20 cent kind from 1 to 2 p. m.

19 Cents for 85 cent Picture Frames, Beaded Moulding, rich colors, with gold mats, from 2 to 3 p. m.

9 Cents for Curtain Poles, silver trimmings, all complete from 3 to 4 p. m.

4 Cents for Brass Extension Curtain Rods complete, extends 43 inches from 4 to 5 p. m.

## All Day Sales At 5 cts.

Bottle Ammonia, Shoe Awls, Shoe Knives, Hammer Handles, Rubber Balloons, Potato Mashers, Account Books, Pocket Mirrors, Fancy Tin Cups with Sangers, 2 cakes Tar Soap, 5 Papers of Needles, assorted sizes, Receipt Books, Iron Money Banks, Checker Boards, complete, Pocket Match Safes.

## THE FAIR

First Pickings of Spring. Manhattan Shirts.

## PARIS' BIGGEST STORE.

## Two Overcoats in One



Worn  
in  
Sunshine  
or in  
Showers

Thoroughly  
Moisture  
Proof

## Things About Spring Overcoats.

The Top Overcoat will be the swaggar overcoat for the season. The swellest tailors in the country have tried to excel each other in its production. We believe we have secured the cream of the land. They are cut in two lengths, 32 and 34 inches. The regular is made 40 and 42 inches. They come in Coverts and Whip Cord, but at the top of all stands the English Homespun. It is the finest appearance.

\$10, \$12, \$15, \$18.

CRAVENETTE comes next as an Overcoat. Pre-eminently though it is a Rain Coat. This is cut long, loose and easy, and does away with the heavy, ungainly, undressy Hacinthos.

\$15 To \$20.

SEE THEM IN OUR SHOW WINDOW.

Also everything new for Spring in the following brands of Hats: YOUNG, ROELOFS, HAWES, STETSON. Give us a look before you buy.

## Parker &amp; James,

CLOTHIERS, HATTERS, FURNISHERS.

Paris, - - - - - Kentucky.

Y. M. B. O. D.

Just Received 2 Car Loads

RED CEDAR

## SHINGLES.

## Bourbon Lumber Co.

YARD NEAR L. & N. FREIGHT DEPOT.

GIVE US A CALL.

SOLE AGENTS FOR FLINTOID ROOFING.

Taken Hold With  
a Vim

the public has on our fine Superlative Beer. People find that they thrive on a good, pure Beer—health, muscle and vitality improve. It gives the working-man backbone and the sedentary vitality and vigor. For a delicious beverage there is nothing to equal it.

## LEXINGTON BREWING CO.

For Sale by HENRY TURNEY, Paris, Ky.

The Man Behind  
...THE PLOW...  
is the man to judge of  
its merits, and he is the  
man that always buys  
THE  
OLIVER.

The lightest draft, and  
the most economical  
plow ever built. Every  
new point makes it a  
new plow. A perfect  
sod plow.

SOLD ONLY BY  
R. J. NEELY.

WAY  
DOWN.

Reduced prices on all Winter Shoes.  
If you need a good pair of

## S-H-O-E-S

now is the time to buy them cheap.

For tender feet, Dr. Reed's Cushion  
Sole Shoes are a sure cure. Call and  
see them. I am sole agent in Paris.

R. Q. THOMSON, Agent.

Why Not Let Us Take Your Order for a  
SPRING SUIT

Instead of buying it from a sample  
and having it made in Cincinnati.  
An order placed with us has our personal  
attention. The Clothes are  
made in Paris, by Paris people, who  
spend what they earn in Paris. Why  
not patronize a home industry instead  
of an out of town house?

HUKILL TAILORING CO.

## HEMP SEED!

From the same parties that have  
grown our seed for many years. It  
is guaranteed to be New Crop and  
Cultivated. In the past it has  
given satisfaction. It will do so  
again.

Chas. S. Brent & Bro.



## THE BOURBON NEWS

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## BRIEF NEWS ITEMS.

## Wanted.

Good white woman, who can make herself generally useful around a store. Must not be afraid of work. Good pay to the right party. For further particulars, apply any morning from 9 to 10 o'clock. THE FAIR.

**INSURANCE.**—The late J. F. Ramp carried a life insurance policy on his life for \$3,000.

**WRAPPERS.**—On sale at Harry Simon's—Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, March 17, 18 and 19—for only 89 cents.

**ALWAYS GOOD.**—The Home 'phone is like the best patent medicine—use it once and you cannot be persuaded to use a substitute.

**FRUITS.**—Fresh line of nice fruits can always be found at J. E. Craven's. 1t

**EARNINGS.**—The L. & N.'s gross earnings for the first week of March increased \$100,710 over the same period last year, and from July 1st the increase has been \$3,089,600.

**LIVE CHEAP.**—Eat rice at 5 cents per pound. CHAS. P. COOK & CO.

**CANCELED.**—Owing to the protests of ministers in Lexington, the contracts of all the men who had been engaged to play on the Lexington team of the Sunday Baseball League have been canceled and the club disbanded.

**SALE.**—Attend the dress goods sale at Harry Simon's—March 17, 18 and 19.

**BURNED.**—The property of Mrs. Besie Current, a frame cottage, at Riddles Mills, was burned Thursday. It was recently tenanted by four persons who had just recovered from the small-pox.

**KENTUCKY RIVER BOTTOM** cultivated Hemp Seed. See us before buying. E. F. SPEARS & SONS.

**KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.**—The Knights Templar convocation of the Grand Commandery of Kentucky meets at Owensboro, May 20 and 21. Quite a number of Coner de Lion Commandery of this city will attend.

**POTATOES.**—Fancy seed Potatoes, all varieties. SPEARS & BRENT.

**PEANUTS.**—Fresh roasted peanuts every day at J. E. CRAVEN'S.

**MISSIONARY.**—The ladies of the Second Presbyterian church will not give the Missionary Tea this week, but request ladies to bring their Missionary dues to the residence of Dr. Rutherford, on Thursday.

**BARGAINS IN PANTS.**—For the next ten days we will have on sale all-worst pants, made to order at \$5 and \$6. (1t) HUKILL TAILORING CO.

**DANCING CLASS.**—Mrs. Ollie Spears has returned from Columbus, Ohio, where she has been taking a special course in dancing and physical culture. Mrs. Spears will open a class at Odd Fellows' Hall, on April 1st. If you wish to become a member of this class, call up 'phone 313. Mrs. Spears is up to the minute in this work, and you should make application at once for membership. 17-2t

**ON SALE.**—Get your garden seeds from us—seed Potatoes and Onion Sets now on sale. DAVIS & FARIS.

**ATTENDANCE REQUESTED.**—A full attendance of the members is requested at the meeting of the Paris Literary Club to-morrow, (Wednesday), afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The election of officers will be the special order of business.

**NOW READY.**—Miss Williams, who will have charge of the trimming department of L. B. Conway & Co.'s store, this season, arrived yesterday and has entered upon her duties. Mrs. Conway is now ready to take orders for Spring hats. Miss Williams is an expert at the business and has years of experience and is right up to the minute on the styles.

**New Spring style "Walk-Overs"** now in stock. Comfort and wear in every pair. \$3.50 and \$4.00, at Clay's Shoe Store.

**ANIMAL TRAINER.**—Mr. Edward Brannon, a well known young Parisian, has developed into quite a genius as an animal trainer. He is now educating a young fox terrier and has taught him a number of fancy tricks, among others, that of climbing up on the rail of a second story balcony and bravely leaping into a blanket held below to catch him. Some time ago Brannon had a trained cat, which he had taught to spar like a boxer, and to take a cigar in his mouth and imitate a smoker. The cat would hold the cigar in its mouth until commanded to let it down. Among his many pets, Brannon had a game rooster, which he had trained to mount a box and bravely crow when his trainer would call out, "Three cheers for the Democrats."

## SHOOTING.

## J. F. Ramp Loses His Life In a Street Fight Saturday Night.

Frank P. Webb, conductor on the L. & N. railroad, shot and fatally wounded J. F. Ramp, an ex-conductor on the same road, in front of J. W. Davis & Co.'s clothing store, about 8 o'clock, Saturday night. The shot took effect in the left side of the abdomen and ranged downward. The men had an altercation in which Ramp accused Webb of taking his position away from him. Webb fired the shot in self-defense, as Ramp had his revolver out.

Ramp was taken to a room in the Fordham Hotel, immediately after the shooting, where he was attended by physicians, who did all they could for him, but he died a little after one o'clock the same night.

Ramp had been discharged from the road some time since, and he had a bad feeling for Webb ever since, believing Webb responsible for his discharge, which Webb emphatically denies.

Ramp made many threats against Webb on different occasions, saying that he would fix him, and Webb, not caring to have any trouble, had avoided him on several occasions.

Webb was arrested by Chief of Police Hill, and later was released on fifteen hundred dollars bond. He could easily have furnished a million dollar bond, if necessary, as many of his friends offered to go on his bond to any amount.

Frank Webb is a young man who has a host of friends in the community, who sincerely regret the occurrence, and he certainly has the sympathy of a large circle in the home where he has resided all his life.

At the Coroner's trial, Monday morning, before Wm. Kenney, there were some dozen witnesses, whose testimony showed that J. F. Ramp was drinking and that he met Webb in front of J. W. Davis & Co.'s business house, on Main street, and assaulted him by slapping him on both sides of the face, forcing Webb from the pavement into the street. Ramp then pulled his pistol from his overcoat pocket, and while he was taking the scabbard from the pistol, Webb pulled his pistol and shot Ramp once in the abdomen.

The jury, composed of W. B. Allen, Newt. Mitchell, W. W. Forman, J. C. McLearn, Ben Woodford and John Gass returned a verdict exonerating Mr. Webb, as he was justifiable and the shooting was done in self-defense.

**NORTHERN POTATO SEED.**—For all standard varieties of Northern Seed Potatoes, go to Geo. W. Stuart, opposite freight depot.

**FOR TENDER FEET.**—Dr. Reed's Cushion Sole Shoes a sure remedy—ask to see them. Thomson sole agent. 1t

**THE BEST.**—Landreth's bulk and package seeds. SPEARS & BRENT.

**INVITATION.**—The Home Telephone Company extends a cordial invitation to the public to call at its office and be shown through its plant.

## KILLED BY GUARD.

## Smallpox Patient Shot To Death While Trying To Escape.

At Riddles Mills, this county, Clyde Keller, guard at the pest house, Saturday afternoon, shot and killed a patient named Ed. Weaver, who was attempting to escape.

Young Keller, who is a son of Dr. Arthur Keller, physician at the County Infirmary at Riddles Mills, when he saw Weaver attempting to leave, called to him twice to go back, and upon his refusal, shot him.

It is said that Keller had instructions to shoot to kill should the prisoners attempt to escape. He noticed Weaver leaving the house and ordered him twice to stop. Weaver disregarded the warning and Keller shot him dead. Keller was placed under arrest Sunday morning and brought to this city.

**DRESS GOODS.**—On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, March 17, 18 and 19, I will have a special sale of dress goods. HARRY SIMON.

You see it on the toniest shoes, The only polish that experts use, It puts the leather in first-class plight, There's nothing better than OKOLITE. 10 cents at Clay's Shoe Store.

**GAME LAWS.**—The Harrison County Protective Association was formed at Cynthiana recently with 250 members. Its object is to see that the game laws of the county are enforced, and to prosecute those who violate the laws.

**BAD ROADS.**—There seems to be a kick arising from every point in the county about the bad condition of the roads. It is a hard matter to keep the roads in a good condition while the weather continues so bad, but they certainly should have attention as soon as the good weather opens.

## PERSONAL MENTION

—Col. Dick Elliott, of Lexington, was in the city, Friday.

—Mr. Wm. Ferguson will go to Louisville, to-morrow, for a visit.

—Miss Chornie Kern has returned from a visit to friends at Lexington.

—Mr. A. Barnett left yesterday for an extended visit to Eminence.

—Miss Ora Slaughter, who has been ill at Cincinnati, is much improved.

—Mrs. O. P. Carter, Jr., is the guest of her sister-in-law, at Ashland, Ky.

—Miss Gertrude Renick has returned from a visit to friends in Lexington.

—Mr. Jep. Lail, of Cynthiana, was the guest of friends in this city, Sunday.

—Julius Herrick and bride, of Lexington, were visitors in the city, Sunday.

—Miss Lute Williams has returned from an extended visit to California.

—Will Giltner and John Bower, of Lexington, were visitors in the city Sunday.

—Capt. John Throckmorton and wife, of Lexington, visited friends in this city, Sunday.

—Mr. John W. Smith, of Garrard county, was in Paris yesterday, and paid the News office a call.

—Mrs. Lunceford Talbott has returned to her home in this city, after a visit to friends in Mason county.

—Dr. Louis Frank, of Louisville, was in the city, Friday, the guest of his father, Mr. L. Frank.

—Col. A. J. Lovely, who is at the Confederate Home, at Pewee Valley, is reported as being on the sick list.

—Mrs. Chas. Spillman and son, of Mercer county, are visiting her sister, Mrs. W. T. Brooks, on Duncan avenue.

—Mrs. Jas. R. McChesney and daughter, Lucy Belle, of Louisville, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. McChesney.

—Mr. Ober Dorfer, of Henderson, Ky., has accepted a position with Jos. A. Wilson. He takes the place made vacant by Jas. A. Stewart.

—Mrs. John Collins, of North Middletown, and Miss Iva Collins, of this city, have been making a short visit to Miss Berry, at Hamilton College, in Lexington.

—Mr. Lem Fisher, formerly editor of the old "Citizen," in this city, who left here some thirty years ago for California, writes that he is hale and hearty at the age of 72, and that he expects to live to be 100. He owns a nice home at Los Angeles.

**ONION SETS.**—Now is the time to get your onion sets—5 cents per quart for reds and 10 cents for whites—at Davis & Faris' opposite Opera House.

**CONFEDERATES.**—There are ninety-five inmates in the Confederate Home at Pewee Valley. (1t)

**THE BEST.**—Call for Geo. Wiedemann's Celebrated Bock Beer, on tap at all principal saloons. (1t)

**GET THE BEST.**—Why not have the best, when it don't cost any more? The Home 'phone is the best telephone that money can buy.

**BEING CONSIDERED.**—Plans for the new Carnegie library are being considered by a special committee appointed by the City Council.

**CAN'T BE BEAT.**—For family use, a case of Geo. Wiedemann's Bock Beer it can't be beat. It is recommended for home use. Home 'phone 217. (1t) GEO. T. LYONS, Agt.

## Circuit Court.

'Circuit Court adjourned from Saturday until this morning. The grand jury adjourned to meet again to-morrow morning.

Since our last issue the case of the Commonwealth vs. Emmett Kirk, for the murder of Thomas Sharp, colored, in 1900, came to a close, the jury returning a verdict of twenty-one years in the penitentiary.

**COMPLETE STOCK.**—The cleanest, most up-to-date and cheapest stock of carpets, wall-paper, matting and furniture is to be found at J. T. Hinton's. You will lose money if you buy before seeing him.

**PEPPER WHISKEY.**—You can buy Pepper Whiskey at 90 cents per bottle while it lasts at Saloshin & Co's. If you use whiskey at your house this is your chance. (1t)

**JUDGE HINTON'S COURT.**—Walker Dimmitt, on the charge of drunkenness, was fined \$7.50. He was also fined \$35 and given ten days in jail on the charge of carrying concealed weapons.

**CHEAP.**—We have for sale one dress suit—good as new. Also several suits that can be bought cheap. (1t) HUKILL TAILORING CO.

**FINED.**—"Miss" Mary E. Foster, a lady of the colored persuasion, was held up for \$16.50, in Judge Smith's court, yesterday, on the charge of a breach of the peace, in getting drunk at a "to-to-to" dance in Claysville.

## CUPID'S ARROW.

—The engagement of Miss Rora Hall, of Fayette county, and Mr. John Clark, of Paris, is announced. Miss Hall has for several years resided with her relatives, Captain and Mrs. Yarrington, at Lakeview. The marriage will be celebrated in April.

## The Sick.

Mr. John Brewer has been on the sick list for several days at his home on High street.

Mrs. Nannie Ransdell is recovering from an aggravated case of la grippe.

Mr. Jerry D. Owens is convalescent. Mrs. E. C. Keller is confined to her home with spinal trouble.

Judge H. C. Smith is able to be out, after a spell of the grippe.

Guy Overby has been dangerously ill for several days.

Rodney Quinby has the grippe.

Miss Judith Carpenter, who has been ill, is recovering.

Mrs. Fannie Moore has the grippe

Mrs. George Winter has been suffering with the grip.

Mrs. Susan Scott is dangerously ill.

Mrs. Ben Hutchcraft is at St. Joseph's Hospital, in Lexington, for treatment.

A young child of Walter Hedges has the scarlet fever.

Mr. W. H. Boone is recovering from a long illness.

Mrs. J. T. Hinton, Jr., is quite ill.

Mrs. F. L. McChesney continues quite ill, at her home on South Main street.

Mrs. Speed Hibler is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Clay, Jr., are recovering after several weeks' illness with the grippe.

Mrs. James Kerns has been ill for several weeks.

Mrs. Nathan Bayless, Sr., is quite sick.

New Cultivated Hemp Seed. CHAS. S. BRENT & BRO.

WAY DOWN.—Reduced prices on winter shoes at Thomson's. 1t

## FOR SALE.

We have for sale about two thousand Red Cedar Posts, any length desired, squared or in the rough. Address us at Paint Lick, Ky. (3t) FISH & SMITH.

## GRAND OPERA HOUSE!

L. H. RAMSEY, - - LESSEE.  
R. S. PORTER, - - MANAGER

Tuesday, March 24th,

The Greatest Musical Triumph of the Century.

John C. Fieher and Thos. W. Riley's Magnificent Production of

## FLORODORA

Book by Owen Hall. Music by Leslie Stuart.

## PRODUCTION COMPLETE,

Same as Given in the Principal Cities and Over

Two Years in New York

—WITH—

70—PEOPLE—70

Two Car Loads of Scenery and Effects. Chorus of 50. Increased Orchestra.

## THE CAST INCLUDES

J. A. WALLERSEDT, KARL STALL, CHAS. DELAND, M. J. SMITH, EUGENE FLAGG, LOUISE MOORE, ANNA BOYD, LILLIAN SPENCER.

PRICES:—\$1.50, \$1.00, 75 and 25cts. Sale of Seats open Saturday, March 21, at Borland's.

## Notice to Shoe Wearers!

Mr. Edw. Franken, representing the Potter Shoe Co., will be at the Fordham Hotel, Wednesday and Thursday, March 18th and 19th, with a full line of samples of Men's, Women's and Children's Footwear. A cordial invitation is extended to the people of Paris and vicinity to call and inspect them during that time. POTTER SHOE CO., Cincinnati, O.

## What MITCHELL Says

Ice Cream

Soda

To-day.

C. B. Mitchell.

## JUST A MOMENT!

OUR GERMAN, FRENCH AND AMERICAN STYLES IN

## DRY GOODS

ARE PILING IN EVERY DAY.

Two weeks devoted to the selection of the immense line in the New York Markets.

We have them from the cheapest to the finest to suit all tastes.

We ask you to inspect our line.

No trouble to show goods.

**W. ED. TUCKER,**

The G. Tucker Stand.

529-531 MAIN STREET.

'PHONE 297

Don't do Anything 'Till You See Me."

If you are contemplating furnishing your house, or buying anything in the

## Furniture Line,

you will make a mistake if you fail to see me and get my prices and examine my stock which is the best selected stock in the State.

You will have no occasion to look elsewhere if you come to my store first.

Everything in the way of Holiday goods that was left over in my store can be bought now at a bargain, as I want to

Make Room for My Spring Stock.

Remember if it comes from Hinton's its GOT to

**J. T. HINTON,**  
**PARIS, KY.**

## AMBULANCE.

Undertaking in all its branches. Embalming scientifically attended to.

## THE HOWARD HATS

FOR  
**SPRING, 1903!**

We have received our Howard Hats, in all the Latest Shapes and Colors, being the best Hat sold in the U. S. for

**\$3.00.**

Come and see our Cravenette Rain Overcoats for Spring and Fall wear. Just what you need for this kind of weather. Made by Strouse Bros., high art clothiers. A guarantee goes with each coat.

**Price & Co.,**  
CLOTHIERS.



## FISHTOWN DIALECT.

Portion of Philadelphia Where the People Have an Amusing Peculiarity.

A United States senator from an eastern state, according to the Washington Post, tells an amusing story about the residents of the northeastern section of Philadelphia, known as Fishtown. Many denizens of this famous old location have a dialect strictly their own, and intensely original. For instance, many of them invariably sound the letter "V" where the letter "W" should be respected, and vice versa. Once upon a time a public man, who had been reared there, was presiding at a gathering of Fishtown citizens, when a party of wags, who were present and knew the presiding officer's peculiarity of dialect, concocted a written sentence and sent it up to the desk to be read as a notice. It was as follows:

"Mr. Vinton Vaux, clad in a variegated velvet vest, of which he was very vain, after voting, took a vinegar laden vessel to the Vine street dock for verification."

Amid shrieks of laughter the innocent presiding officer rendered it in this wise:

"Mr. Winton Waux, clad in a wariegated west, of which he was werry vain, after woting took a winegar laden vessel to the Wine street dock for verification."

## X-RAYS FOR CANCER.

Great Promise of Permanent Cure Held Out in the Finzen Discovery.

Cancer proper has been generally regarded as hopeless. Having, however, used the Finzen ray with good results in a case of cancer of the skin, I decided in 1900 to prove its results upon the deeper-seated cancer of the breast, writes George C. Hopkins in McClure's. Here, however, entered a difficulty. The Finzen ray has slight penetrative power. The use of the Roentgen, or X-ray, in connection with the Finzen ray suggested itself to me. The Roentgen ray has extraordinary germicidal qualities, but no curative properties. Therefore, to destroy the germs I used the X-ray, which broke down the cancerous tissue and killed the bacteria. The I used the Finzen tube to heal the open sore which resulted. Under the double radial attack the area of ulceration quickly shrank, and, after several months of treatment, disappeared. That was two years ago; there has been no return of the growth since.

Should the apparent cures of cancer prove permanent, we must regard Finzen's discovery as the greatest mitigant of human sufferings since the first use of anaesthetics. And, in any case, the future of the new science is glorious with hope.

## THE AMERICAN LANGUAGE.

Distinctive from the King's English in Many Respects as We Use It.

"It used to be considered a witticism to ask a man whether he spoke United States," said an English university man at the Lawyers' club the other day, reports a New York exchange, "but there is in fact an American language, distinctive from the king's English, not only in idioms and in the use of particular words, but in the clipping of words to save time and breath. On this side of the Atlantic one scarcely ever hears 'I have' and 'you are.' You hurrying Americans say 'I've' and 'you're.' You shorten up 'cannot' into 'can't,' and your purest speakers use 'don't' and 'won't,' and it is almost a universal habit among Americans to clip the 'g' off words ending in 'ing.' Even your professors of English fail to sound the 'e' in 'righteous' and 'courtious,' and shorten 'knowledge' into 'knowledge.' I might recite scores of words that are practically shortened by a syllable in usage, and as usage makes language, you Americans are gradually constructing a speech that is quite distinct from that form of English which Oxford and Cambridge are preserving with such care."

## MADE STUDY OF HUMPBACKS.

Liverpool Bachelor Gathered Information Regarding Them from Various Countries.

It was an odd fad enjoyed by a wealthy bachelor who died recently in Liverpool. His heir, on opening his desk, was surprised to find in it a manuscript volume of 2,000 pages, which was entirely devoted to a study of humpbacks. Further investigation showed that for several years this man, who was himself stalwart, tall and athletic, had closely studied this curious subject and had visited various countries for that purpose.

According to his manuscript there are more humpbacks in Spain than anywhere else, the number in one small district at the foot of the Sierra Morena amounting to one in every 13 inhabitants. There are also many in the Loire region, in France. From the statistics of all the countries of the globe it appears that there is one humpback in every 1,000 persons, which is equivalent to saying that there are 1,000,000 humpbacks in the entire world. The author of this manuscript says that the average height of each hump is about eight inches.

## Rings Under Gloves.

According to a well-known London jeweler, people who want their rings to last well should not wear them under gloves. The constant friction of the gloves wears the tiny points that hold the stones in place and the result is that the stones fall out unless they are closely looked after.

## BOFFIN'S EXPERIENCE WITH BEES

MRS. BOFFIN was determined to move into the country. She told Mr. Boffin of a really nice place adjoining Mr. Spanger's, where it would be so nice to keep bees, just like Mr. Spanger; "and then, you know, my dear Benjamin, we could produce our own honey."

Mr. Boffin's ideas of bees and making honey were as vague as possible, but the first principle of his married life was to see Mrs. B—'s slightest wish fulfilled. No sooner were they installed in their new home than he bought seven dollars' worth of books on bees: "Bees and How to Cultivate," "Smith on Bees," "Higgins on Bees," and, in fact, anybody who had written anything about bees could be found in his collection.

Mrs. Boffin read, Mr. Boffin read, and their son Tom, also, read, and among the three they concluded what they did not know about bees was not worth knowing. Boffin's next step was to procure a dozen hives made to order. These were placed at proper distances under a row of apple trees. And with what pleasure did Mrs. Boffin survey the management of the experienced hive-builder! She could already see, in her mind's eye, the winged workers darting to and fro and in and out of their homes, and visions of delicious honey stood in bold relief before the eyes of Mr. Boffin.

So he posted his letter, with a \$20 note inclosed, to a celebrated bee raiser, and by return mail the package came. The man who left it at the house remarked that he supposed it was a new kind of music box; he merely thought so from the continued humming.

Mrs. Boffin smiled, and thought of delusions. The brown wrapping paper was carefully removed, and a box 18 inches square stood exposed to view. Around the sides, upon the top and bottom, were small holes, covered with a fine wire gauze. On a card was written "Seven Hundred Italian Bees."

"It does not say anything about Italian bees in the books, does it, dear?" asked Mr. Boffin, who was nervously scratching his head.

"Oh, never mind; they are to be handled just the same as other bees."

Boffin said nothing, but took up the box and wended his way to the orchard, followed by Mrs. B—, Tom, and their black and tan terrier, Skip. Master Billy Boffin, aged three years, was left in the house on the kitchen floor, with a huge slice of bread and butter to quiet a noxious disposition, inherited, probably, from his father.

"I guess we will place a few in each hive."

Could they have seen the look of dismay on the countenance of Spanger, who was peeping through a crack in the fence nearby, they might have hesitated. But Mr. Boffin proceeded to pull off the cover, very carefully and gently, while Tom held the hive tipped over so the bees could go in. Mr. Boffin placed the box by the edge of the hive, and lightly tapped the end. The bees gradually began to move; first one popped out, then another and another, but instead of going into the hive, they darted away, and were soon out of sight. After losing 20 or 30 in this manner, Mr. B— paused for reflection.

"Tom, go and get 'Jones on Bees.'"

So Tom set down the hive, and started off for "Jones on Bees."

"Turn to page 67."

Tom did as directed, and after a few lines were read they concluded they were doing wrong; they had omitted to smear the sides of the hive with honey. So Mrs. Boffin went over to Mrs. Spanger's and procured a pint of strained honey. The work was soon accomplished.

Mrs. Boffin said she would hold the box this time. Mr. Boffin nervously placed it in her hands, and off came the cover. The first bee that came out struck Skip on the nose, and he skipped away, howling fearfully as he did so, darting between Boffin's legs and upsetting him upon the box. Skip then made for the house, the door of which was open, where he overturned Master Billy, who joined his voice to that of the dog. Mr. Boffin had fortunately sat right in the box, and his coat-tails crowding snugly in kept the inmates from getting out. Mrs. Boffin screamed:

"Don't get up, Benjamin; don't get up, or we shall lose them!"

Boffin had no idea of getting up then, but the piteous expression upon his face would have excited sympathy in anyone. Tom was gradually approaching the house, as he thought there might be a possible chance of getting stung. He was soon stopped, however, by his mother, who called him back to help his father.

Not liking to show the white-feather, he returned. Mrs. B— explained how the cover was to be slipped on while Boffin carefully arose from his sitting position. But, alas! the human expectations! One solitary bee had crawled up the leg of Boffin's pants.

He was so positive of this that he gave a yell, turned a handspring, and made for the house, followed by Mrs. Boffin, Tom, and about 600 bees. In rushed Boffin and took refuge under the bed, where Skip was already busily employed rubbing his nose. Tom landed in the water-butt outside just as one big fellow took him by the ear. Mrs. Boffin with great presence of mind, covered her head and shoulders with her dress, but, as she could not see, bumped her head

against the door-frame, which nearly stunned her. But she managed to stumble in and close the door just as two of the enemy buzzed in, one taking Master Billy under the eye and the other herself on the hand.

The swarm outside hovered around the door for some time, and then flew over to Spanger's hives, where they settled down, and at once commenced making honey for Mrs. Spanger.

Peace being declared in the house of Boffin, Mr. B— came out and declared he knew it was wrong to handle Italian bees that way. Tom came in dripping wet, one ear as big as a dollar bill, vowing vengeance against all bees, Italian or any other kind. Mrs. Boffin brought out liniment, the wounds were bathed, and, with the exception of Billy's eye, there was



DARTING BETWEEN BOFFIN'S LEGS AND UPSETTING HIM.

soon but little to show there had been a bee scrimmage.

Next morning Boffin called on Spanger for his bees.

"How many did you have?"

"About 600," replied Boffin.

"Pick 'em out," said Spanger.

"Pick the deuce out! How am I going to tell my bees from yours?"

Then, Spanger, with a smile, said:

"Yours were Italian bees, were they not?"

"Yes; but I can't tell an Italian bee from any other, unless it stings harder."

Then Spanger told Boffin to take 600 bees, and pick them out anywhere. Boffin remembered his leg, and refused. In fact, he did not know how to pick them. Nothing was said about picking in his collection of books. So he consulted his wife, who told him the best way was to engage a bee-raiser. This was done, at an expense of ten dollars. In 20 minutes after his arrival, the bees were nicely housed in Mr. Boffin's orchard.

"I would like to know how that was done," said Mr. Boffin to the man, as he gave him the money.

"Oh, easy enough when you know how," said he pocketing the money and moving off.

But in a week, those confounded bees were back in Spanger's garden, making honey by the pound. Mrs. Spanger tried to compromise the matter by offering to sell Mrs. Boffin all the honey she wanted at a discount. The kind offer was refused, and the six empty hives in Boffin's orchard often bring stinging recollections of his first and last attempt to raise bees.

And further, whenever the "Charge of the Light Brigade" is read in his presence, and he hears the ominous words: "On rode the 600!" a shudder thrills his whole frame, and, nervously clutching his coat-tails, he whispers to Mrs. Boffin:

"It should be: 'On flew the 600!'"

—N. Y. Weekly.

## THE SWEETEST MUSIC.

[The opinion of Uncle John, riding home from the opera with his city nephew.]

You may talk about your singing, and I won't dispute a thing, But O, to hear the music that my mother used to sing!

The singing that was paid for, she never even heard.

But her voice rang out as freely as the singing of a bird.

When I was tired and sleepy, she'd wash me, clean and sweet, And hug me tight and wrap my gown around my little feet

And rock and rock. And with her voice that old house used to ring Till sleep, like balm, descended, while I heard my mother sing.

I believe the sweetest music we shall hear around the throne Will come from just such humble souls, hardworking and unknown.

They could sing a hymn in meeting and sing a child to sleep, And all the extra music in their hearts they had to keep.

They sang the songs the old folks loved, as evening shades came down, Sweeter than all the operas you advertise in town.

You may talk about your singers, and I won't dispute a word, But my mother sang the sweetest songs my ears have ever heard.

And, I believe, when all we long for freely shall be given, I'll hear my mother's songs again. She's singing now, in Heaven!

—Mrs. McVean-Adams, in Union Signal.

## A Russian's Bird Study.

A certain large land owner in Russia is making a study of the migratory habits of birds. To all those he can capture he attaches a note in Russian, German, French and English, asking whoever may find or kill them to let him know the country to which they had flown.

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Lv Winchester. 11:57am 9:18pm 8:58am 6:30pm  
Ar Mt. Sterling. 12:25pm 9:45pm 9:25am 7:05pm  
Ar Washington. 5:20am 3:39pm  
Ar Philadelphia. 8:50am 7:07pm  
Ar New York. 11:15am 9:15pm

WEST BOUND.  
Ar Winchester. 7:05am 4:38pm 8:22am 2:45pm  
Ar Lexington. 7:45am 5:10pm 7:00am 3:30pm  
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2:19 7:12	Switzer .. " 12:00 6:52	84
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8:15p	Maysville .. " 5:45 1:15	96
4:00p	Cynthiana .. " 5:02	97
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From Maysville—7:40 am; 8:15 pm.

Departure of Trains from Paris:

To Cincinnati—5:15 am; 7:55 am; 8:30 pm.  
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# THE KIDNAPPED MILLIONAIRES

## A TALE OF WALL STREET AND THE TROPICS

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## CHAPTER XV—CONTINUED

Brother Pence," said Mr. Kent, as he helped that gentleman to another portion of bacon and eggs. "You certainly have found your appetite." "You let Pence alone," said Mr. Morton. "We will make you cook the next meal as a punishment." "Perhaps you think I can't cook?" said Mr. Kent, defiantly. "You don't know what I can do!"

"I do," said Mr. Haven. "Pass the sugar, please."

Mr. Kent smiled in a sardonic manner at Mr. Haven, and continued by saying that when a young man he had served as cook for six months in a western mining camp.

Breakfast over, they adjourned to the veranda; Vincent volunteered to clear the table and look after the dishes. For an hour he was a busy man. He donned an apron and washed and wiped the dishes, and stored them away in the china closet. During this operation he smoked a large imported cigar. Every once in a while his face would wreath in smiles. When his task was ended he lit a fresh cigar, and joined the rest of the party which was grouped on the west veranda, engaged in conference.

"We must divide our work and assign each member of the party a certain responsibility," Mr. Morton was saying. "In the first place we must ascertain, as near as possible, where we are, and then devise means to return to our homes. We may as well dismiss this man Hestor and his yacht from any further consideration. If not crazy he is a villain, and in either case we have little to hope from him. We must explore this island, and then see what can be done. About where do you suppose this island is located, Mr. Hammond? I have my own idea, and I would like to hear from others."

"We are somewhere in the West Indies, or in the Gulf of Mexico or the Caribbean Sea," said Sidney. "That is rather an indefinite answer, I admit, but we should be able by timing the sunrise by our watches—which are set by New York time—to tell about how far west we are, and possibly we can make a calculation which will determine our approximate latitude. I am inclined to think we are well to the west of Cuba, and not many hundred miles from the Mexican or Central American coast."

"I entirely agree with you," said Mr. Morton. "I kept as close a watch of the direction taken as possible. Monday was cloudy, but I am sure that on that day and on a part of Sunday we were going in a westerly or southwesterly direction. I figure that we ran about 124 hours on a fairly direct course to this island. The 'Shark's' course was erratic only when Capt. Waters was avoiding other craft. Now, if we averaged 20 miles an hour, that would make a total of 2,480 miles. It may be 100 miles either way from this estimate."

Sidney produced an atlas from the library, and all pored over the map of North America, as if demanding a solution of the puzzle from the tinted page.

"You will not solve the problem of where we are at by gazing at that map," said Mr. Kent. "There are thousands of islands in the West Indies which are not on the map, and we may be in any one of them."

"Here is something that may be of service to us," said Mr. Morton, who had been absent for several minutes. "I took a notion to examine the room occupied by Mr. Hestor last night, and I found this on the dressing case."

Mr. Hestor unrolled a sheet of Manila drawing paper containing a well-executed map labeled "Hestoria." It was spread out on the dining table and examined amid much excitement.

"Here is what Hestor named 'Morton Bay,'" said Mr. Carmody, pointing to the pear-shaped lake, "and the black L is the bungalow. Here are the hills which surround the lake," said Mr. Carmody pointing to the shaded portions of the map, back of the bungalow and around "Morton Bay."

"This is not a complete map of the island," said Sidney Hammond. "It is merely a detailed map of the immediate surroundings of the bay. There is the reservoir he spoke about, and here is the brook which passes the bungalow. Let's see if we can find any other map in his room."

A thorough search revealed none. They then proceeded to make a careful study of the map, but it threw no light on their position on the broad surface of the globe. All that the map showed was the contour of the bay, the course of the brook to the reservoir, and a little to the west of it, also the location of the bungalow and the small island in the bay. There was no scale, and the waters to the east were designated by no name.

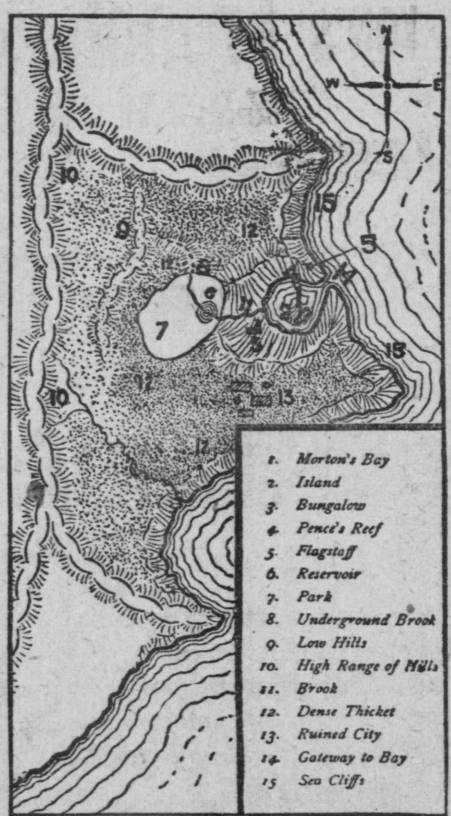
"For all that this map shows we may be on the moon," said Mr. Kent. "All that we know is that we are alive and well, and somewhere in the tropics. We may be east or west or north or south of Cuba. For all I know we may be off South America."

"Well, we can consider this later," said Mr. Morton. "Let's get down to business. It would not be right for good Americans to do anything without an organization, and I move that Mr. John M. Rockwell be made chairman, and that Mr. Sidney Hammond act as secretary. All in favor of the motion say 'aye!'"

There was a chorus of "ayes," in which Mr. Rockwell joined with a laugh.

"Gentlemen," said Mr. Rockwell, "I have presided at many meetings, and with varied success, but this is the most interesting and perhaps the most important in my experience. I will make a formal speech when we are out of the woods; or more properly perhaps, out of the ocean. What is the pleasure of the meeting?"

"In my opinion, Mr. President," said Mr. Morton, "our first duty is to change the name of the island. Its present name is distasteful to me. I move you sir, that in view of the character of the men who now inhabit it, that we call it 'Social Island.'"



MAP OF "SOCIAL ISLAND," (or Hestoria.)

The motion was carried unanimously amid applause in which a flock of parrots and cockatoos joined.

"Now, Mr. President," continued Mr. Morton, "it occurs to me that there are three divisions of work that should engage our attention. The first is our sustenance during the time we are compelled to remain on this island. It can be classed under the broad head of housekeeping. The second is a thorough exploration of the island, and as careful an estimate of our whereabouts as possible. The third is to plan and provide means of escape. I move that the president appoint committees to supervise and be held responsible for the performance of these duties."

The motion being carried, Mr. Rockwell pondered a few moments and said:

"I am of the opinion that all members of the Social Island Colony should serve on the committee on housekeeping. If the work is shared by all, the task will be light, but if it devolves on one or two men it will be mere drudgery. I am going to appoint Mr. L. Sylvester Vincent as general superintendent of the Social Island bungalow, and of all the lands and game preserves thereunto appertaining. He will have full authority to call on the services of any member not employed at the time on other duties, and in case of dispute the president will render a decision. The president will also be subject to Mr. Vincent's authority in the matter of household duties. It will be accepted as unwritten law that each member must keep his own room in order. Mr. Vincent, will you accept this commission?"

"Yes, sir—or Mr. President, rather," said Mr. L. Sylvester Vincent. He was delighted with the title of general superintendent and by the extent of his authority.

"I shall appoint Mr. Hammond chairman of the committee on exploration," said Mr. Rockwell. "He will be assisted by Messrs. Kent and Pence, both of whom are great explorers."

"I don't want to explore," protested Mr. Pence. "I would prefer to go on some other committee."

"The chair will accept no resignations," said Mr. Rockwell, and he hammered on the table with a ruler to indicate that the question was settled. "Mr. Andrus Carmody will be chairman of the committee on escape; Mr. Morton and Mr. Haven will serve with him on that committee. The president volunteers his services on any and all these committees. Is there any other business before the meeting? If not we stand adjourned, subject to call at any time. Adjourned."

"That is the way to do business," said Mr. Morton. "Each man knows his duty and can go about it."

Mr. Vincent walked out into the kitchen and in a few minutes re-

turned. He stood in the open door and looked over the gentlemen who were variously engaged.

"Mr. Pence," he called.

Mr. Pence had sunk back in his chair and was examining a book which Sidney left on the table. He lifted his eyes over his steel-rimmed glasses and gazed languidly at Mr. Vincent.

"You can come to the kitchen, Mr. Pence," said Vincent, "and pare the potatoes for luncheon."

"What's that?" exclaimed the astounded millionaire. "Pare potatoes! Me pare potatoes? Absurd!"

There was a general roar of laughter.

"I am on another committee!" exclaimed Mr. Pence, "the committee on exploration."

"You now seem to be on the escape committee!" said Mr. Kent. "Take him along, Vincent."

Mr. Pence looked at Mr. Rockwell appealingly.

"I have nothing to do with it," Mr. Rockwell said, "unless Mr. Hammond urgently needs and demands your services on the exploration committee. If not, you will have to obey Mr. Vincent. He is general superintendent, and you voted for him and his authority."

Sidney said that he did not need Mr. Pence at present. That gentleman arose, and with a woeful expression followed Vincent to the kitchen. A few minutes later he donned a white apron and entered on his new duty. He proved an adept, and Mr. Kent looked in at a side door and regarded his work with approval.

"He is the best man you could select," said Mr. Kent, addressing the general superintendent, who was critically watching Mr. Simon Pence. "He can cut the thinnest paring you ever saw. The potato will weigh more when he gets through with it than it did when he began. He is a wonder. You ought to see him pare a dividend."



"MAKE HIM GO AWAY," PLEADED MR. PENCE.

"Make him go 'way," pleaded Mr. Pence.

But Mr. Kent had disappeared. Mr. Vincent went in search of more help. He found Mr. Haven.

"I shall have to ask you to chop some wood," he said.

"Certainly," said Mr. Haven, with surprising alacrity. "Where is the ax? I was a dandy at chopping wood when a boy. How long do you want it?"

In a few minutes the sugar magnate was hard at work, and at the end of three hours he had accumulated a goodly pile of wood and a ravenous appetite.

During the day Vincent went about his duties in a most systematic manner. He took each member of the colony in charge, and showed them the mysteries of the storeroom and kitchen, and the exact location of all foods and cooking utensils.

After dinner Mr. Rockwell was detailed to wash dishes and Mr. Kent to wipe them. It was worth a journey around the world to watch the great capitalist scrape a frying pan or a kettle, and to see the deftness with which the famous speculator handled a towel on the knives and forks. He was giving a pan a finishing touch when it dropped to the floor with a crash.

"Tin plate seems to be going down," observed Mr. Haven, who was watching Mr. Kent with much interest.

"Yes," drawled Mr. Kent, "what do you suppose sugar is doing in New York while you are away? I'll bet it is not going up."

It began to rain during the forenoon, and Sidney was compelled to postpone an expedition he had planned, in which he proposed to follow the brook to its source, which he calculated would be the highest point of land on the island.

CHAPTER XVI.  
AN EXPLORATION.

Thursday was a perfect day after the storm. The air was fresh and cool from the ocean. Sidney was up at an early hour and took his observation of the time of the sunrise. It was Mr. Kent's turn to get breakfast, and he did himself credit. In the meantime Sidney had been preparing for the exploration of the island. He looked over the stock of guns and selected a rifle and a shot gun. He found these weapons in fairly good order, but oiled and cleaned them carefully, and tested both several times.

It was about eight o'clock when Sidney and Mr. Kent disappeared in the thicket through which the brook took its course. Mr. Pence had been detailed to explore the north shore of the lake, and from the expression of his face he did not relish the task.

He refused to take a gun, and armed with a heavy club set out on what he regarded as most dangerous expedition. It was low tide, and the beach was clear of water to the frowning rocks which formed the

## OHIO'S SCATTERED SONS.

More Than a Million and a Quarter of Them Are Living in Other States.

There are more than a million and a quarter natives of Ohio living in other states. No other state has such a record, relates the New York Sun.

New York and Pennsylvania have a much larger population than Ohio, but neither state contributes so much to the population of other states as Ohio. Nearly 20,000 of Ohio natives live in Indiana, 140,000 in Illinois, and 90,000 in Michigan.

Kansas has 90,000, Iowa, 90,000; Missouri, 80,000; Pennsylvania, 60,000; New York, 30,000; Colorado, 25,000; California, 35,000, and Washington, 20,000.

There are 10,000 Ohio natives living in Texas, 5,500 in Massachusetts, 7,000 in Montana, 15,000 in Oklahoma, 700 in Alaska, and 4,300 in Washington, the national capital. Ohio men are distributed throughout the country so generally that there is no state in which they are not to be found in considerable numbers, and usually taking an important part in its public and business affairs.

Ohio is not so populous a state as Illinois, but at the time of the last federal enumeration it had a larger number of persons in the military and naval service of the United States than its more populous neighbor. It has more of its natives in Hawaii than Pennsylvania, and is practically the only western state which has contributed much to the population of New England. Ohio men are to be found everywhere in the United States, whether near or far from home.

## A REASONABLE SULTAN.

Morocco's Ruler Allowed Foreign Visitors to Salute in Their Respective Home Forms.

Travelers received by the sultan of Morocco were at one time required to make the customary obeisance of the country; but that ceremonial is now omitted. The reason, according to Lady Grove, in her "Seventy-One Days' Camping," goes back to a slight social awkwardness involved in carrying out that prescription:

A distinguished naturalist had been presented to the sultan, and, as he bowed his head to the ground, instead of supporting himself with his hands, he placed them behind his back. Consequently, his forehead came against the marble floor with a loud bang, and he had difficulty in recovering himself.

The sultan was amazed. "Has not the gentleman had the honor of entering the presence of his own sovereign?" he asked another visitor, later.

"Probably he has had that honor, your majesty," was the answer.

"Then," said the sultan, "he should have learned the art of making salutations without the occurrence of such accidents."

Thereupon his majesty learned with astonishment that this lowly form of obeisance is not observed at European courts, and he immediately decreed that none but the usual customs demanded by European sovereigns should be required of Europeans when they entered or left his presence.

## NO BANK CHECKS IN GERMANY.

Most Remittances Are Made in the Form of Money Orders Through the Post Office.

The Berlin correspondent of the Commercial Intelligence calls attention to the antiquated and cumbersome method of forwarding remittances that obtains in Germany. A check system such as has been developed and perfected as an instrument of commerce in England is practically unused there, payments being usually effected by means of money orders taken out at the local post office. The English bank exercises the double function of adjusting accounts and guarding wealth, whereas the German bank, under favorable circumstances, scarcely does more than the latter. For the German merchant the post office is, in a sense, what the clearing house of the English banking system is for the British business man; it is an active partner in the settlement of differences between debtor and creditor. Yet even under the German postal system, whereby the amount of a money order is paid at the residence of the payee by a special functionary called the "Geldbriefträger," the post office is clearly an intolerably clumsy agent for liquidating accounts nowadays; and occasionally one hears a German bemoaning the steam-roller progress of his fellow countrymen in the technics of payment, and urging reform.

## Cooperative Wedding Presents.

The cooperative wedding present is a new idea in Great Britain, where the fact that servants and tenants on an estate club together and send one handsome gift seems to have suggested to somebody that friends might do the same. Thus one of the January brides was presented with a diamond ornament, and friends of a bridegroom united to buy him an automobile. The American bride sometimes exchanges her duplicates; but that is not always convenient, and it tends to provoke misunderstandings. She, too, will rejoice if the new fashion spreads, so that, instead of pickle-dishes and the like, she may look forward to something substantial, such as a house and lot.

## Must Go to Church.

To such an extent does religion prevail at Gonaotao, in the South seas, that every man, woman and child on that island who does not go to church at least three times a week is liable to be arrested and fined, the fines going to the king.

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Bowry Boy 2:15½

Great Heart 2:12½-2.

Rachel 2:08 1-4.

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## VERBAL ALIASES.

WORDS THAT GET TOO FAMILIAR TO  
SUIT SOME TASTES.

The Scientific Fad of Clothing Old Things in New Terms—Some Words the Meanings of Which Are Commonly Misunderstood.

When the report was recently circulated that a prominent public man had lost his life through accidentally inhaling a quantity of carbon dioxide, the man in the street began at once inquiring what carbon dioxide was.

As a matter of fact, carbon dioxide is merely another name for carbonic acid gas, one of the products of combustion and a constituent of atmospheric air.

Carbonic acid gas is known by several different names, as, for instance, carbon dioxide, carbonic oxide and carbonic anhydride.

Consumption as a name for a terrible and widespread disease is known and understood by practically every man, woman and child in England. But the medical fraternity, ever on the lookout for something new in the way of professional nomenclature, elected some years back to call it phthisis, and then just when that unspeakable word began to be known and recognized they evolved yet another—tuberculosis.

And as with consumption so with most other complaints. A quarter of a century ago even eminent physicians were content to speak of smallpox, of typhoid fever, of lockjaw. Today they are called variola, enteric and tetanus respectively.

A doctor when giving evidence before an ignorant east end jury the other day said that the immediate cause of death was "a violent and prolonged fit of combined epistaxis and stomatorrhagia." It would, one would think, have been far easier for him to have spoken of a bleeding at the nose and mouth, and he would at all events have had the satisfaction of making himself understood.

Most people now living can remember the time when bacteria were known generically as animalcules—a not very strictly scientific definition, perhaps, but one easily understandable, and conveying, moreover, a distinct idea to any one of ordinary education and intelligence.

For that very reason, doubtless, the title in question was voted out of date and old fashioned and the word "bacteria" was substituted. This means, literally, "little sticks," certainly a most novel definition, but one that scarcely strikes the average lay mind as being either lucid or suitable. Nevertheless, it was accepted, and at last became familiar to the man in the street.

That of course could not be tolerated. Imagine a bacteriologist using a word which conveyed any meaning to anybody outside his own charmed circle! The idea is both degrading and preposterous; so he set to work forthwith and invented a whole host of terrific verbal aliases.

He called them for example, schizomycetes, neuromuskelzellen, megacocci and polymorphonuclear leucocytes, as well as half a hundred other things; while for the chemical substances incidental to the science he invented such delightful terms as "tetrahydroparamethoxyquinoline" and "triamethyl-diamido-triphenyl-carbinol-oxalate."

The craze, too, is getting commoner among other than scientists. Take the word "reeking," for instance, and ask your friends what they understand by it. "Reeking?" one will say. "Why, reeking means dripping with moisture, soaked with wet." You will derive some amusement from his surprise when you tell him that reeking means "smoking, steaming." A chimney can reek. When a horse reeks with moisture, it is because its flanks smoke and steam.

The change from the real meaning to that given it in popular, present day phraseology can easily be traced. Anything very wet will reek in frosty weather; so the wetness has been assumed to be the real characteristic of reek.

Then there is "lurid," which nine people out of ten use in an entirely wrong sense. Ask a man what color lurid is, and he may answer correctly, but the chances are that he will say, "Red flame, orange or bright yellow." Of course, lurid means smoky or dull color. London fog is lurid. Thick, suffocating smoke is lurid.

Lurid and livid are almost synonymous. Lurid flames are flames choked and hidden by smoke. A lurid sunset is not a brilliant one, but one dull and gray and cheerless.

Of course, the use of verbal aliases is not an absolutely new departure. It is only that we of this generation in our wild strivings after novelty have so enormously increased and multiplied them. The taste of our grandfathers and great-grandfathers lay rather in the direction of using over and over again two or three long and uncommon words.

Thus honorificabilitudinitatibus, as a synonym of fame, eminence, occurs and recurs with almost depressing regularity in the plays of old pre-Elizabethan dramatists and is even used by Shakespeare on occasion.

## A HEROIC TRIO.

Travis, Crockett and Bowie and a Neglected American Epic.

The late Frank Norris in an article in World's Work says that the American epic, which on the shelves of posterity should have stood shoulder to shoulder with the "Hemskringla" and the "Song of Roland," will never be written because the Hector of an ignored "Iliad" has been forgotten. "One of the requirements of an epic—a true epic—is that its action must devolve upon some great national event. There was no lack of such in those fierce years after forty-nine. Just that long and terrible journey from the Mississippi to the ocean is an epic in itself. Yet no serious attempt has ever been made by an American author to render into prose or verse this event in our history as 'national' in scope, in origin and in results as the Revolution itself. The prairie schooner is as large a figure in the legends as the black ship that bore Ulysses homeward from Troy. The sea meant as much to the Argonauts of the fifties as it did to the ten thousand."

"And the Alamo! There is a trumpet call in the word, and only the look of it on the printed page is a flash of fire, but the very histories slight the deed, and to many an American born under the same flag that the Mexican rifles shot to ribbons on that splendid day the word is meaningless. Yet Thompson's was less glorious, and in comparison with that siege the investment of Troy was mere wanton riot. At the very least the Texans in that battered adobe church fought for the honor of their flag and the greater glory of their country, not for loot or the possession of the person of an adulteress. Young men are taught to consider the 'Iliad,' with its butcheries, its glorification of inordinate selfishness and vanity, as a classic. Achilles—murderer, egotist, ruffian and liar—is a hero. But the name of Bowie, the name of the man who gave his life to his flag at the Alamo, is perpetuated only in the designation of a knife. Crockett is the hero only of a 'funny story' about a sagacious coon, while Travis, the boy commander who did what Gordon with an empire back of him failed to do, is quietly and definitely ignored. He died in defense of an ideal, an epic hero, a legendary figure, formidable, sad. He died facing down injustice, dishonesty and crime; died in his boots, and the same world that has glorified Achilles and forgotten Travis finds none so poor to do him reverence."

## Needless Alarm.

Dangerous things look safe, and safe things look dangerous. The trouble is all in the beholder's eye, as the common expression is. An Englishman was on a voyage to Spain.

Ships were flying by of varying shape, rig and color. One, the Englishman noticed, was bearing slowly down toward him, with her cargo piled on deck half way up the masts. What could she be? How could she hope, laden in this way, to live on the faintest suspicion of a gale?

The English traveler was considerably exercised about her. Something surely ought to be done to make such rascally "deck loading" illegal and impossible. He scanned the vessel with his glass. The breeze was light, but she rode buoyantly. At last a sailor cleared up the mystery.

"Why, sir," he said bluntly, "she's only a coaster loaded with cork."

## Advantage of Advertising.

"Will you allow me to ask you a question?" interrupted a man in the audience.

"Certainly, sir," said the spellbinder. "You have been giving us a lot of figures about immigration, increase in wealth and all that," said the man. "Let's see what you know about figures yourself. How do you find the greatest common divisor?"

Slowly and deliberately the orator took a drink of water.

Then he pointed his finger at the questioner, lightning flashed from his eyes, and he replied in a voice that made the gas jets quiver:

"Advertise for it, you ignoramus!"—Chicago Tribune.

## He Caught Him.

Slick (to Blossom)—Is this Mr. Bloomer's office?

Blossom—No. His office is across the hall.

Slick (leaving the door open as he walks out)—Thank you, sir.

Blossom—Hi! Come back and close that door. Haven't you any doors in your house?

Slick—Yes, sir, but they all have springs on 'em. Allow me to show you, sir, my patient double back action door spring. It closes without a bang and is warranted to last a lifetime.

## Professor Was Noting Things.

"Wasn't it a terrifying experience," asked his friend, "when you lost your foothold and went sliding down the mountain side?"

"It was exciting, but extremely interesting," said the college professor. "I could not help noticing all the way down with what absolute accuracy I was following along the line of least resistance."—Chicago Tribune.

## No Better Off.

"Poor Robinson! He couldn't make a living and married a woman with money."

"But isn't he all right now?"

"Hardly. She is so close with it that he has to work harder than ever."—Life.

## But They Help Not a Little.

"Of course, clothes don't make the man."

## "Certainly not."

"At the same time, if you have a new suit you'd better put it on when you go out to ask for credit."—Chicago Post.

## AMUSEMENTS.

## FLORODORA.

—The great New York Casino success, "Florodora," will be presented at the Grand next Tuesday evening for the first time here and by an excellent company. Musical comedy with a consistent story, a "plot" which entertains and instructs, while it forms a stout chain to hang the songs and ensembles with delight, and comedy lines and situations of the merriest sort, is indeed a rarity. Such a vehicle is "Florodora." Absolutely clean and wholesome. It is so jolly and rollicking, that it puts to blush the producers who in the past maintained that the vast majority of theatre-goers want spicy suggestiveness in their theatrical dishes. "Florodora" had for rivals in London and New York musical comedies of the suggestive type. In both cities it drove them off the field in disgrace, and kept on playing for nearly two years to a business which puts standing room to a premium. One of the features of Florodora company is a special orchestra, which will greatly add to the enjoyment of the opera.

LADIES SHOES.—Stunning styles in Ladies Shoes, \$3.00 and \$3.50 grades for \$2.50, at Thomson's.

## CHURCH CHIMES.

—Rev. Frank J. Cheek, formerly pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, in this city, was installed as pastor of the Covenant Presbyterian Church, in Louisville, Sunday, the Rev. F. E. Moore presiding; Rev. Peyton H. Hoge charging the pastor; Rev. C. K. Crawford preaching the sermon and Rev. Ed. L. Warren charging the people.

—The annual meeting of the Bourbon County Bible Society was held at the Christian Church, Sunday night. The sermon was delivered by Rev. Kinza Smith, of Louisville. A large crowd was in attendance.

## New Rules For Afternoon Euchres.

THE NEWS submits the following rules for the consideration of euchre parties:

Long hands should be nicely manicured.

Right, left, ace, king and queen of trumps is a Lalapaloozer; any one holding a Lalapaloozer is a swindler.

If necessary to cut for prizes, kindly use razors.

If caught reniging, your opponent is privileged to call you a nigger.

To change your luck, say the alphabet backward.

In progressing, break all the chairs possible; they belonging to the installment man.

If you are losing, smile, even if it hurts you.

If your opponent says "Euchre," (you cut) get back at him by saying you dog.

If tired of chewing gum, stick it on the visiting lady's deck.

Any one that would Trump their Partner's ace, would eat fish and swallow the bones.

After the Euchre Prize (fights) use Baldine, the great hair restorer.

Continuous talking interferers with others' continuous talk, is injurious to the figure by being bad form and may create the impression that you are an auctioneer.

Ladies will please leave their visiting cards; the hostess can use them for talies at the next euchre.

Profanity is now passe and is tabooed by the smart set. Such expressions as O Pshaw, Fudge, or Dog Bite It, should be uttered in a muffled tone under the table.

If you do not land first, second or third, remark in a stage whisper, Stupid Partners or that you never were a Professional Gambler.

When a misdeal is made the opponent Raps the bell, receives a Punch and delivers an Upper Cut.

REMEMBER.—Special dress goods sale at Harry Simon's—March 17, 18 and 19—Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

## LIVE STOCK, CROP, ETC.

—W. T. Overby bought a crop of tobacco at 6c. from Otto Sugg, of Oakland Mills.

—Jonas Weil sold to Geo. Jacoby, of Hutchinson, 20 head of 1,175-pound cattle at \$4.50.

—Chas. Webber, of Glenkenny, sold in Louisville, 27 hds. of Tobacco at an average of \$7.55.

—W. H. Whaley, Jr., shipped a car load of hogs to Cincinnati, which he bought of Earl Ferguson, Chas. Webber and others, at about \$6.35.

—Gano Marr, of Cane Ridge, sold to Brent Bros., 3,000 pounds of hemp at \$5.50 to Wm. McCray 6,650 pounds of tobacco at 6c and 3 cents.

—The first foal of Maplehurst Stock Farm March 13th colt out of Alma Wilkes (dam of Belle Oakland, trial 4:12½. Baron Oakland, 2:14½) by Baron Wilkes, 2:18, first dam Almata 2:31, by Belmont 33; second dam Alma Mater; dam of 8 including Alcantara, 2:23, sire of 171; Alcyne, 2:27, sire of sixty. This colt is entered in \$57,000 worth of stake.

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## Change in Time of Trains On Frankfort and Cincinnati Railway.

Effective January 26th, 1903, F. & C. Train No. 84, heretofore leaving Frankfort at 8:30 p. m. will leave Frankfort at 2 p. m.

This train will then connect at Georgetown, Ky., with Q. & C. Train No. 6, which arrives at Cincinnati 6:15 p. m., and will also connect at Paris, Ky., with Kentucky Central train No. 6, arriving at Cincinnati at 6 p. m.

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NEW BARBER SHOP.—Chas. Hasson, the popular barber, formerly in the employ of Tom Crawford, has opened an up-to-date Barber Shop in the Fordham Hotel. Mr. Hasson invites all his friends and old customers to give him a call.

THE days are longer growing. The sun is getting high; The winds are softer blowing; There's more blue in the sky, The happy time is coming, Which poets long have sung; The bees will soon be humming. For the Spring time has been sprung.

The decision of the Rev. Robert Maloney of New Jersey, to abandon the pulpit of the occupation of opening oysters is doubtless due to the desire to come into intimate association with something that will shell out once in a while.

Sewing Machines of all kinds repaired free of charge, at the Singer office. THE SINGER MANUFACTURING CO.,  
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## PEDIGREE.

[Recorded with pedigree in the Percheron Stud Book of America.] Gray, foaled October 20, 1892; got by Stradat 7112 (2453); dam Abydos 936 (869) by Romulus 873 (785); 2d dam Elise by Duke de Chartres 162 (721). Stradat 7112 (2453) by Passe-Partout (1492) out of Biche (12004) by a son of Coco II (714). Passe-Partout (1492) by Comet 104 (719) out of Sophie by Favori I (711) he by Vieux Chaslin (713) out of L'Amie by Vieux-Pierre (894), he by Coco (712). Comet 104 (719) by French Monarch 205 (834) out of Suzanne by Cambronne. French Monarch 205 (734) by Ilderim (5302) out of a daughter of Vieux Pierre (804), etc. Ilderim (5302) by Vieux-Chaslin (713), he by Coco (712), out of Poule by Sani Coco (712), by Mignon (715), out of Pauline by Vieux-Coco. Mignon (715) by Jean-le-Blanc (739). Coco II (714) by Vieux-Chaslin (713), etc., out of LaGrise by Vieux Pierre (894). Romulus 879 (785) by the government approved stallion Romulus, son of Moreau out of Fleur d'Epine by the government approved stallion Cheri, he by Corbon. This horse has been shown only three times, winning first prize in each event and in one of them there were eight other entries of different draft breeds. Stephon will make the season of 1903 at Paris Fair Grounds, at

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